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David Waddell  
Executive Secretary  
Tennessee Regulatory Authority  
460 James Robertson Parkway  
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Re: Docket No. 99-00784:  
In Re: Area Code Conservation Measures In Tennessee

Monthly NXX Code Request Report of The North American  
Numbering Plan Administrator For August 2000

Dear Mr. Waddell:

The North American Numbering Plan Administrator NeuStar, Inc. ("NANPA"), in its role as the neutral third party administrator under the North American Numbering Plan ("NANP") and in response to a request by the Tennessee Regulatory Authority ("Authority") files the attached monthly report for August 2000 containing public information regarding requests for NXX codes in the 615 and 901 area codes.

On December 10, 1999, the Authority requested that NANPA "regularly report to the Authority the names of telecommunications service providers requesting NXX codes in the 615 and 901 area codes, together with the number of NXX codes requested."<sup>1</sup> Pursuant to Federal Communications Commission regulations, NANPA performs its NXX code administration functions in accordance with industry guidelines.<sup>2</sup> Pursuant to industry guidelines, NANPA is required to treat as confidential NXX code request

<sup>1</sup> *In re Area Code Conservation Measures in Tennessee*, Request to the North American Numbering Plan Administrator to Develop an Industry Voluntary Allocation Plan and to Provide Periodic Reports to the Tennessee Regulatory Authority on NXX Code Requests, Docket No. 99-00784 (Dec. 10, 1999).

<sup>2</sup> 47 C.F.R. §52.15(d)

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information submitted by service providers until the assigned code holder (service provider) inputs the requested NXX into the Routing Data Base System ("RDBS") and Business Rating Input Database System ("BRIDS").<sup>3</sup> After the service provider inputs the information into RDBS and BRIDS, the assignment of the NXX is public information. Generally, the service provider has seven days after the assignment is made to input the assigned NXX code information into RDBS and BRIDS.<sup>4</sup> Occasionally, service providers may take up to sixty-one days to input this information. During this interval, NANPA cannot provide information regarding NXX code assignments. Denials or suspensions of NXX code requests are not submitted to RDBS / BRIDS.

Below is a summary of the NXX activity within the 615 and 901 area codes during the month of August 2000. As listed below, only one of the eleven NXX assignments made by NANPA during August is not yet entered into RDBS and BRIDS and cannot be listed in this report. All information provided in this report is public information.

## 615 NPA – August 2000 Report

- Nine service providers submitted a total of 11\* Central Office Code Assignment Request Forms during August 2000.
- Of the 11 request forms, 3 NXX assignments were made, 2 change requests to existing NXX codes were processed, 1 application was denied for not complying with procedures, 4 requests were denied pursuant to the interim jeopardy procedures which allow for the monthly assignment of 3 NXX codes and 1 NXX return request was processed.
- All 3 NXX assignments are now public information. See the attached report for a list of the service providers and NXX assignments. The NXX return also is public information, but the NXX will not be available for assignment until the effective disconnect date of October 2, 2000.

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<sup>3</sup> "All information provided on the NXX request form will be considered confidential, with selected information made available publicly only for those fields that must be input to the RDBS and BRIDS. The information placed in the RDBS or BRIDS becomes public upon assignment of the new code in the appropriate routing data base product." §4.1.6 Central Office Code (NXX) Assignment Guidelines (INC 95-0407-008, April 11, 2000) ("CO Code Assignment Guidelines"). The CO Code Guidelines can be accessed on the Alliance for Telecommunications Industry Solution ("ATIS") web site located at <<http://www.atis.org/atis/clc/inc/incdocs.htm>>.

<sup>4</sup> See §6.1.2 CO Code Assignment Guidelines.

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## 901 NPA – August 2000 Report

- Ten service providers submitted a total of 15\* Central Office Code Assignment Request Forms during August 2000.
- Of the 15 request forms, 8 NXX assignments were made, 1 change request to an existing NXX code was processed, 2 requests were denied for not complying with procedures, 3 requests were denied pursuant to the jeopardy procedures which allow for the monthly assignment of 8 NXX codes, and 1 NXX return request was processed.
- Seven assignments are now public information. See the attached report for a list of the service providers and NXX assignments.

\* The NXX request forms may have been received in July but processed in August.

If you have any questions regarding this report, please contact the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,



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Enclosure

**AUGUST 2000  
NXX ASSIGNMENT REPORT  
TENNESSEE 615 NPA**

<b>NXX</b>	<b>Service Provider</b>
393	ICG Communications
566	ICG Communications
424	PowerTel
525	Pagemart Wireless (Returned NXX will be available for assignment 10/02/00)

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**NXX ASSIGNMENT REPORT**  
**TENNESSEE 901 NPA**

<b>NXX</b>	<b>Service Provider</b>
630	Level 3 Communications
717	Network Telephone
718	Network Telephone
716	Network Telephone
590	AT&T Local
770	Navigator Telecomm
896	ITC Deltacomm

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I, Joshua P. Zeldis, do hereby certify that the foregoing **Report** was delivered, via U.S. Mail, this 14<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2000, to the following:

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